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WHO IS THE REPUBLICAN PARTY IN THIS FIRST SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT?

The Republican Delegates to the County Convention

Mr. Bigelow says in the EXPOSITOR of September 11th.

1. A square deal for all.

2. I am opposed to the issuance of any more liquor licenses on the County roads in Sonoma Valley.

3. Honesty in Public office.

4. No "one man's job" on the County roads. Every man irrespective of party should be allowed, if he feels so inclined, to work on the County roads.

J. K. BIGELOW,
By Himself.

We the undersigned delegates to the County Convention, nominated Mr. J. K. Bigelow for the office of Supervisor for the First Supervisorial District.

We also have read the statements made by him in the Sonoma Valley Expositor of September 11th, and give it our *unqualified approval.*

H. H. BABB, A. H. WARD } Cotati.
L. L. LEWIS, Agua Caliente. Mr. Bigelow was the other delegate.
J. H. WEISE, A. M. HARDMAN, G. E. KING } Glen Ellen
W. M. RUTHERFORD, J. F. THORSEN } Lakeville
C. R. POTTER } Shellville
Mr. Knight, the other delegate, did not sign as he said he did not think there was any need to answer Mr. Granice.
JOHN R. DENMAN, ERNEST ORMSBY, W. B. RISK } Penn Grove.
RANDALD McDONELL, LOUIS BREITENBACH } Sonoma
Mr. Beretta did not sign because he is for the Democratic candidate, Blair Hart.
There were 17 delegates.

OR **Index-Tribune and Mr. Granice?**

Mr. Granice says, in answer, in the Index-Tribune of Sept. 19th:

"1. That Mr. Bigelow while claiming to be a good Republican has set up and is running upon an independent platform of his own construction.

"2. That one of the planks in 'his platform'—the liquor license question—is a fire-brand and a prohibition doctrine which he has injected into the campaign for the purpose of toadying to the Prohibition vote.

"3. That Mr. Bigelow's candidacy is a disturbing element in the local Republican ranks and will be productive of much harm and no good to them in the present campaign.

"4. That in so doing he has repudiated the platform built for its candidates by the recent Republican County Convention whose wisdom is unquestioned by any good Republican."

The Index-Tribune,
of which H. H. Granice is editor

Mr. Granice, the self-styled dictator of the Republican party, who felt so awful over Mr. Bigelow's "platform" that he wrote, "MY EDITORIAL column could not be bought." Now says, "Vote for Blair Hart." a Democrat.

J. K. BIGELOW.

Superior Court Notes.

A resume of the calendar day proceedings in the Superior Court on Monday is as follows:

In Judge Denny's department W. B. Rich was named administrator on the estate of Mrs. Sarah S. Latimer in a bond of $100.

John Gallagher's will was admitted to probate and John R. Gallagher and Patrick Furlong were named executors.

Tobias M. Eckel was named administrator on the estate of Francis Tartea Eckel in a bond of $720.

James C. McGrew was appointed administrator on the estate of Sophia McGrew in a bond of $625.

On the estate of Marie L. Lounibos, John Lounibos was named administrator in a bond of $120.

Christina Daniels was named administratrix on the estate of Frederick V. Daniels, in a bond of $850.

The first annual account of the estate of Julia Barry was settled and allowed.

The final account was settled and distribution ordered of the estate of the late George W. Call, the Fort Ross pioneer.

The final account was settled and distribution ordered of the estate of Mary Carter Phillips.

A sale of property was confirmed in the estate of Martin Farrell, and the final account was allowed.

A sale of personal property was confirmed in the estate of Harmon D. Eveland. A similar order was made in the estate of George Howard.

The contest of the Mary B. Collins estate was set for Dec. 8.

The estate of Albert Sandees was set aside to the widow.

The suit of Mrs. W. R. Hamilton vs. Thomas Wilson et al, was set for Dec. 16.

The motion to strike out and demurrer in the suit of Phoebe M. Decker vs. Ellen Graham, error was confessed and ten days allowed to amend.

The suit of the California Fruit Canners' Association vs. Frank Perry was set for Dec. 3.

Resolutions of Respect

Resolutions to the memory of our late Brother, Ludwig Matthias Johannsen. Died September 13, 1908.

WHEREAS, It hath pleased the Great Architect of the Universe to remove from our midst our late beloved Brother, Ludwig Matthias Johannsen; and

WHEREAS, It is but just that a fitting recognition of his many virtues should be had: therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, By Temple Lodge, No. 14, Free and Accepted Masons, that while we bow with humble submission to the will of the Most High, we none the less mourn the loss of our beloved brother;

RESOLVED, that in the death of Brother Ludwig Matthias Johannsen, this lodge sustains the loss of one of its oldest and most honored and respected members. Brother Johannsen's Masonic life has stood as a beacon light for the craft for more than half a century, and his every effort was exerted for the good and welfare of the fraternity and the community in which he lived.

RESOLVED, that the heart-felt sympathy of the lodge be extended to his family in their affliction.

RESOLVED, that these resolutions be spread on the records of the Lodge, and a suitable engrossed copy be sent to the relatives of our deceased brother.

Respectfully and fraternally submitted.

T. J. MCGIMSEY, J. D. WAGNON, WM CLEWE } Committee.

Sonoma, Cal., October 6th, 1908.

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Defendant Defaulted

The suit of Theodore Wagner and Ida Wagner, his wife, against M. Bianchi, regarding the diversion of waters of Yulupa creek, was set for trial before Judge Emmet Seawell on Friday.

The case was postponed until Friday, October 20, with leave to amend given plaintiff, and to add new names to the complaint. The defendant has defaulted in the case.

The plaintiff asks for a restraining order to enjoin defendant from diverting or interfering with the waters of the creek, and for one thousand dollars damages and costs of suit.

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Bigelow A Winner

Now that this First Supervisorial Dist. has been pretty thoroughly canvassed by the two candidates and their friends, there is no doubt in the minds of those who have taken an interest in and watched the progress of the campaign that J. K. Bigelow has now the best of the fight and will be elected by a good majority. The size of his majority is variously estimated by Democrats as well as Republicans at from 200 to 250. Men anxious to bet on the Republican nominee's success are having difficulty in finding takers, because a man with money enough to bet also has enough political sense to know that J. K. Bigelow is a sure winner.

Exposure Brought Results

The complaint of a committee of citizens of Glen Ellen about the faulty construction of a new county bridge near Graham Canyon, an account of which was published in last week's Expositor, has brought good results. The bridge company that had the contract, immediately promised to tear down certain parts and rebuild the same according to contract and to make other alterations with the same object in view. Why the bridge in question was not built according to contract in the first place has not been learned. Whether the work would have gone through if no one had butted in and made a kick is not known. However, it is reported that the bridge contractors now have a gang of men working on the bridge at their own expense and say they will complete the structure properly without any further expense to the county. This is good news to the tax payers and traveling public.

Democratic Rally

The Democrats held forth in Union Hall last Saturday evening where the principals of that fearless old party were expounded by able speakers. R. P. Hill of Eldridge acted as chairman of the meeting and introduced the several speakers.

Hon. Emmet Seawell and Hon. A. B. Ware, Democratic nominees for Superior Judges both made short but forceful and pleasing addresses and their remarks were well received. Blair Hart, candidate for Supervisor, spoke briefly. Col. L. W. Juilliard, who is out for the office of Assemblyman for this Fourteenth Dist., addressed the audience at length, telling very ably why a change in that office should be made. The ideas he advanced met with hearty approval of the citizens present.

Hon. Thos. J. Geary, the brilliant and distinguished ex congressman of this district, was the principal speaker of the evening. After a few brief introductory remarks, Mr. Geary with his characteristic force got down to his subject and handled in a most entertaining and convincing way. He spoke for nearly two hours and held the undivided attention of his hearers throughout. His explanation of Democracy means was clear, concise and convincing. This meeting was one of the most successful ever heard in this city.

A Musical Noise

Small sums such as $1.50 per year don't seem like much but when that sum is multiplied by a few hundred, it amounts to a goodly sum indeed for a country editor. So, to all our dear readers who know themselves to be in arrears on subscriptions to the Expositor, we would say that if you would only make a noise like paying up, right away quick, it would sound like music in our hungry ears. We are listening.

Mrs. Harvey Dead

Mrs. Julia Harvey, a highly respected pioneer of this county died at her home in Bloomfield last Sunday after a lingering illness. Deceased was a native of Maine and 74 years of age. She had resided in different parts of this county for many years and had many warm friends who incerely admired the good woman for her many noble traits of character The largely attended funeral took place from her late home in Bloomfield Tuesday. Interment was in Cypress Hill Cemetery in Petaluma. Deceased was the mother of Mrs. Alice Whittaker, Mrs. E. Warner, C. L. Harvey and Ira B. Harvey, the former well-known blacksmith of this valley.

Former Resident Dead

Mrs. R. E. Poppe was called to Los Angeles one day last week on account of the serious illness of her brother, Frank Naumeu. She arrived just in time to see him before his soul took its flight to the better and brighter world. The cause of death was blood poison Deceased formerly lived here and many years ago married Miss Nellie Weyl, daughter of the late Henry Weyl, a pioneer of this city. Mrs. Nauman passed away about two years ago. They had no children. Deceased was a honorable man, a good citizen, and enjoyed the esteem of a wide circle of friends. The remains were cremated in Los Angeles on Monday.

Executive Session

At the executive session of the Board of Trustees held in the City Hall last Monday evening, all bids for the proposed stone bridge across Nathanson Creek on Napa St. were rejected. C. Shearer was instructed to prepare new plans and specifications for the bridge for which $1000 was provided for in the last tax levy. Tuesday evening the Board met, accepted the new plans and ordered the clerk to advertise for bids to construct the bridge on the new plan. Bids for these will be opened, Oct. 31, 1908.

Making Many Sales

Ever since L. Mouyer has subdivided his fine property in El Verano into building lots, the demand for them has been good. Six lots have been sold already, and more sales are under way. One purchaser, a San Francisco man, will erect a fine large modern hotel on his lots.

Case Dismissed

Justice Jos. B. Small, in his court here on Saturday, dismissed the case of E. Maggioni, charged with being an accomplice to the passing of forged checks, owing to insufficiency of evidence. It was shown that defendant did not claim that the checks were good prior to passing the same.

Initiate a Candidate

Valley of the Moon Chapter, O. E. S. initiated a candidate into the mysteries of the order last Tuesday evening. After the ceremony and routine business of the session a banquet was heartily enjoyed.

Departs for Europe

Peter Bognuda, a brother of N. Bognuda, departed last Thursday for Europe. Mr. Bognuda is a native of Switzerland and came to California when very young. Here he spent a great part of his life and returned home to spend the remainder of his years. His many friends wish him a safe and pleasant journey.

Strange Sight

Probably attracted by the bright lights and display of delicious confectionary a score or more of young frogs were climbing up Lutgen's show windows last Wednesday evening. Where they came from nobody knows. The unusual sight attracted considerable attention.

New Map Filed

W. C. Booth, owner of some property at Agua Caliente filed a map of the same with the Board of Supervisors on Saturday, and the same was accepted. The place is designated as Agua Caliente Park.

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GLEN ELLEN NEWS

The Democratic County nominees will speak here next Saturday evening. Music and dancing is also announced on the program.

Grand Organizer Andrew Mocker of the Native Sons spent several days in town the past week. Andy is a rustler as he succeeded in considerably increasing the membership of the local parlor.

A quartette of Bryanites in an auto attended the Democratic rally at Sonoma last Saturday evening. They were brimful of enthusiasm, free silver, anti-imperialism and the like and did not return home until late. Upon their return trip and in the vicinity of the Eldrige Home they were held up by a little black and white animal with a bushy tail who defiantly disputed their right of way. The arguments pro and con why Missouri, went Republican at the last election were abrupdly closed. The chaffeur instantly backing his machine several hundred yards down the road awaited an opportunity to pass. The glad moment presented itself at last and the speed attained far exceed the time limit and broke the record in such cases.

Tom Monahan has added several rooms to his dwelling and is other wise making some needed improvements.

R. S. Knight and family who resided on the Froment place the past year have removed to Kenwood where they will reside in future.

The Frank Adams Railroad circus will hold forth here next Saturday. A street parade and a high wire performance are among the attractive features.

Mysterious Shooting Affair

While walking along the road between Chauvet's Winery and Glen Ellen last Wednesday evening about half past six, an Italian by the name of Pucci, a laborer, was shot at from ambush by some unknown party. Two shots were fired, one grazing the man's head, the other passing through the fleshy part of the upper arm. The injured man was brought into town where his wounds were dressed. Constable Allen took Pucci to the county hospital yesterday. His wounds are not supposed to be fatal. There is no clew to the attempt to murder.

Escaped From Home

Some time early Monday morning two boys, inmates of the home at Eldridge, escaped from the dormitory and left for parts unknown. In order to make their escape, they tore some of the bed clothes into strips which they braided into ropes, by means of which they lowered themselves to the ground. As soon as the escape was discovered, all hands began a search of the grounds of the institution and the Sheriff's office was notified. The names of the boys are Boen and Holley. The former endeavored to escape twice before.

Entertained Friends

Miss Mildred Dixon very pleasantly entertained a few of her young friends in honor of her nineth birthday last Wednesday, at the home of her parents on Patton street. Dainty refreshments were served.

Information is Filed

District Attorney Clarence F. Lea has filed an information against Luigi Leo, who is accused of attacking C. Rigoni, in Sonoma last August. The arraignment of the accused was set for next Monday before Judge Emmet Seawell.

Catholic Services

Services will be held next Sunday at St. Francis' Church, Sonoma at 8:45. At St. Mary's Church, Glen Ellen at 10:30.

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In 1904 the Town of Mountain View was successful in its endeavor in securing the Pacific Press Publishing Company which is under the control of these same people. It has proven a wonderful advantage to our town in many ways and the real growth of our town dates from the time that they established themselves at this place.

I can honestly say that no better class of citizens exist anywhere in California or any other place. Since their advent to our town property values have more than doubled. Social conditions have been greatly improved.

Contrary to the general expectation they have established no stores of their own, but on the contrary have become the best patrons of our business people. The town has nearly doubled in population and a general prosperous condition has existed since their establishment here and I voice the sentiment of our entire community in saying that you are indeed fortunate in securing these people for your section. I am

Yours truly,
WALTER A. CLARK.

Women of Woodcraft

Glen Ellen Circle, Women of Woodcraft will give a social dance in that town on Friday evening, Oct. 23rd next. Everybody invited and a fine time assured.

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A. E. Sondag, the Tailor,

A. E. Sondag, the tailor, formerly of Sonoma, was in the valley this week taking orders for men's tailor-made suits. Mr. Sondag and family are temporarily located in Fruitvale, but the former expects to get permanent quarters for his tailoring establishment in the metropolis, in the near future. For many years he has enjoyed a liberal patronage from this valley and his work always gives satisfaction. Mr. Sondag will make regular weekly trips to the valley and solicits a share of he trade. Give him a trial orde for a good suit and you'll be satisfied. ctf

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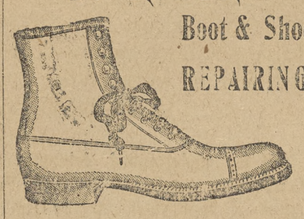

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CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. W. C. Day, Pastor Services Sunday at 11 a. m and 8:30 p. m. Sunday-school at 10 a m. Prayer meeting Wednesdays at 2:30 p.m. Ladies' Aid Society meets the second Tuesday of each month.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL—Rev. R L. Rowe Pastor. Preaching every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday-school at 10 a.m. Prayer meeting on Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. Epworth League at 6:30 p. m on Sunday.

LOCAL ITEMS

Fall Millinery at The Sonoma Racket Store.

Get good shoes at Hotz's. New line just received.

Chas. Weber has returned to Sonoma for a few weeks stay.

Special bargains every day at the Sonoma Racket Store.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Van Hooseer were in the metropolis Sunday.

The New Winter Creations now displayed at G. H. Hotz.

Mrs. H. P. Mathewson spent Tuesday last in San Francisco.

Mrs. Leichter is here on a visit with her daughter, Mrs. E C. Campbell.

H. Waters and wife made a visit to San Francisco the first of the week.

Miss Irene Tomasi has returned from a pleasant visit with friends in Napa.

W. W. Burns, an expert machinist of the metropolis is a guest at the Bellevue.

S. Schocken returned Tuesday evening from his usual weekly visit to the bay city.

W. A. Exeter and wife of Tulare were guests of T. J. McGimsey and family this week.

Mrs. Kaplan, a well known society lady of San Francisco, is enjoying a visit at the Bellevue.

T. J. McGimsey and daughter, Miss Bertha, went north on the Ukiah Express on Sunday last.

At their meeting Tuesday evening the Trustees decided to gravel First St. West south of Napa St.

This season's styles are decidedly new in shape and unsurpassed as to style and coloring. G. H. Hotz.

J Kenny, a prominent fireman of San Francisco, and family are registered at the Bellevue Hotel.

Miss Ernestine Fisher of San Francisco spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. Kerner on the Wm. Daly ranch.

Watch for the old time concert to be given by the Ladies Aid Society of the Congregational Church in this city.

Mrs. L. Breitenbach and daughter, Miss Doreles, spent a few days this week with friends and relatives in San Rafael.

Miss Ruth Poppe has returned to San Francisco after spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Poppe.

Call in and inspect our new Millinery. We will be pleased to fit you in something chic and up to date. G. H. Hotz.

A. E. Warriner, the contractor, has returned from an extended eastern trip and says he had a most enjoyable visit and trip.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Nathanson of San Francisco, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Nathanson of Santa Rosa were visiting friends in this valley on Sunday.

Miss Lillian Masciorini, a graduate of St. Mary's Hospital, has taken a position as trained nurse in Reno, Nevada, and departed for that place last week.

Cesari Minelli is quite busy these days laying the stone foundation for Mr. Baccala's new house on Napa St. He also has considerable cement work in Mountain Cemetery.

George Fetters has applied to the Board of Supervisors for a retail liquor license for the new $5000 hotel to be built on the Halsted place at Agua Caliente. The petition was numerously signed. Action on same was deferred by the Board until after election.

We acknowledge with thanks from the bottom of our hearts (and stomachs) a present of a brace of wild ducks from Tony Happe, proprietor of Embarcadero Resort. Yum! Yum!

Kryptok, the master lens, for far and near vision. No dividing lines but all in one lens. Consult Eph. Weiss. He will be in Sonoma at the Union Hotel, Nov. 2nd.

Mr. and Mrs. Friend McHarvey are the happy parents of a fine bouncing ten pound girl, born to their home in San Francisco last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Campbell rejoice in the birth of a bouncing native son who arrived to brighten their home, in this city, yesterday afternoon,

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Albers are the happy parents of a dainty baby daughter who arrived to brighten their home on lower Broadway last Friday.

Mrs O. Wagner returned Tuesday evening from a weeks pleasant visit with her friend, Mrs. Otto Muser in the metropolis.

The Sonoma Grammar School Basket Ball team will play the Petaluma team tonight in Union Hall. Admission 15 cents.

R. W. Bell, Piano Tuner and Dealer, will be here shortly on a special trip. Leave orders at once at Union Hotel,

Roy A. Pauli, the popular head clerk in Clewe's is enjoying a two week visit with relatives in Sacramento.

Mrs. J. Dutil, of the French Cottage, El Verano, came up from the metropolis Tuesday evening.

For the very best Graham bread you have to go to the German Bakery on Broadway.

Dr. H. W. Gottenberg had business in San Francisco on Tuesday.

Beds, Mattresses, Blankets, etc. The Sonoma Racket Store.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Hotz spent Monday in the metropolis.

Have you seen the new winter dress goods at G. H. Hotz?

New style hats at The Sonoma Racket Store.

HURRAH HURRAH HURRAH

For Embarcadero Resort, Tony Happe Proprietor.

Duck and quail shooting better than ever in the vicinity of the Embarcadero Resort, "Tony's Place" on the banks of the beautiful Sonoma creek, just where the fresh and salt water meet. It is a paradise for fishermen as the fishing is of the best, both in salt and fresh water, striped bass are especially plentiful. Never before in the memory of the oldest inhabitant has there been so many fish in Sonoma creek. "Tony's Place" being in the center of the best fishing and hunting grounds is the most popular hotel in the lower part of the valley. Tony is an ideal caterer and announces that he keeps constantly on hand fresh fish, striped bass, chickens and ducks for luncheon. He also keeps guns and ammunition of all kinds, fishing tackle the clams for bate, for his patrons. Everybody stops at "Tony's Place" the Embarcadero Resort, only four miles from Sonoma and halt a mile from Shellville station. Go there for your outing. You'll be well fed and delightfully entertained.

The Rain

The first heavy rain of the season commenced falling here Wednesday and continued throughout the day. About an inch of rain fell. It will do considerable good and no damage to speak of at all. The grape crop is practically all gathered except a few second crop grapes and these will not be injured by the rain.

Elected Delegates

Mrs. Carrie Burlingame and Mrs. M. T. Stearns were elected delegates from the Sonoma Valley Woman's Clubs to the State Meeting of Woman's Club held in Watsonville this week. The ladies left for the convention on Tuesday morning's train.

Corner for Sale or Lease

A beautifully located Corner Lot 330 feet square, northwest corner of Spain St. and Santa Rosa road just outside city limits of Sonoma. Fine well water on lot. For particulars inquire of S. Schocken, Sonoma, Cal.

Hallowe'en Dance

The Rebekahs of this city will give a dance in Union Hall on Hallowe'en, Oct 31. A good time is promised to all who attend.

We call special attention to our new stock of winter novelties in dress goods at G. H. Hotz.

FATAL EXPLOSION

Three Men are Instantly Killed

Yesterday morning about 9:30 o'clock the loud report of an explosion was heard on the Spreckles ranch at Sobre Vista between Sonoma and Glen Ellen. The people on the ranch knew what the cause of the explosion was, as three men had taken a hundred pounds of dynamite up the hill in the morning for the purpose of blasting out a well. Hence they thought no more about the matter. When the three men, Contractor Herbert Wright, L. D. Crane, the Supt. of the Spreckles ranch, and Alfred Gustafsen, a helper, did not come down to dinner, all hands wondered why.

J. H. Moore, the veterad horseman and manager of Mr. Spreckles string of fine horses, hitched up his horse and cart and went up the hill to see how things were getting along. When he reached the well, the sight that met his eyes was simply appalling. There lay the three men who left home in the morning, happy, healthy and full of vigor, lying about the well, burnt, bleeding, mangled and stone dead.

Mr. Moore was almost overcome at the gruesome find. He had presence of mind enough however, and returned to the ranch house to report what he had found and obtain assistance. Dep. Sheriff Ryan was phoned for and he immediately phoned to Coroner Blackburn and then taking assistance with him went to the scene of the terrible tragedy.

The three bodies were put into a wagon bedded with straw and brought to the morgue in this city. Coroner Blackburn arrived soon after and held an inquest. There was of course only one verdict to render and that was that the three unfortunate men were instantly killed by the accidental explosion of a charge of dynamite.

How the accident happened will never be known because all present who would know, are dead. The awful tragedy has cast a gloom over the entire valley and was almost the sole topic of conversation yesterday and today. Investigation showed that the 100 pound cartrige had been lowered into the well to the depth of 5 or 6 feet when the explosion occured. The deadly explosive had been packed into a 4 inch iron pipe 6 feet long and was being lowered into the well by the three men. About 6 feet of the top casing of the well was blown out and shattered. The three men were evidently watching the dynamite descend, as the bodies were all lying close to the well Some of the sickening results of the explosion were these: The clothing of all the men were torn into rags, their bodies horribly burned and their heads and faces so badly burned, mutilated and torn as to make recognition almost impossible. Mr. Crane's arm was torn off completely and could not be found anywhere though diligent search was made for it. Herbert Wright's brains were blown out and not a trace of them could be found. Hanging about 50 feet up in a tree near the well was a shirt sleeve dangling in the breeze.

The sympathy of everyone goes out to the stricken families and relatives of the victims of this, the saddest tragedy that has ever occurred in this valley. Mr. Wright has a wife and several children and resides on his place near Santa Rosa. He was a man of sterling worth, honorable, industrious and an ideal husband and father. Mr. Crane leaves a widow and two young children. He had been here but a comparatively short time but had won the respect and esteem of all with whom he came in contact. Mr. Gustafsen was a native of Sweden and had no relatives in this country except a cousin, Mr. Neumen, who was also working on the Spreckles place.

Undertaker Stanley came down last night and removed the remains of Mr. Wright to his home in Santa Rosa.

The remains of L. D. Crane will be taken to Healdsburg where the funeral will be held next Sunday. Mr. Gustafsen will be buried here but arrangements for the funeral have not been finally settled.

The Expositor has the only up to date job printing plant in Sonoma.

Special sale of souvenir post cards, views of Sonoma and Sonoma Valley, at reduced prices, at Lutgen's.

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Fine complete line of Rubber Boots, Shoes Coats, Hats, etc. : : Agency, United Workingmen's Boot and Shoes.

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FOR SALE CHEAP: A good 6 lid cook stove, fine baker. Call at J. Bobells, R. F. D. 1. Box 40.

WANTED—Temperate, industrious man to live with a family in a pleasant quiet home near Sonoma. Will receive wages when working. Inquire at this office.

WANTED: Sober man for general vineyard work and around the house. Must be able to handle horses. 2tf

CHAS. SPINDLER, El Verano.

WANTED.—SUCCESS MAGAZINE requires the services of a man in Sonoma to look after expiring subscriptions and to secure new business by means of special methods unusually effective; position permanent; prefer one with experience, but would consider any applicant with good natural qualifications; salary $1.50 per day, with commission option Address, with references, R. C. Peacock, Room 102, Success Magazine Building, New York., N. Y.

Young chickens wanted: Apply to FRANK KOENIG, Union Hotel, Sonoma.

FOR SALE: Good horse and fine milch cow at a bargain. Apply to B. W. HEWGITT, Agua Caliente.

FOR SALE: All around work horses. Inquire of C. GROSKOPF, east of Vineburg. tf

FOR SALE: Muscat grapes. Leave orders at Shoe Shop opposite M. E. Church or address C. LA TORRES, El Verano.

FOR SALE: Light buggy very cheap. Apply to J. FOCHETTI & SON'S blacksmith shop, Sonoma.

WANTED:—To buy 200 pullets. Apply to H. E. CALDERWOOD, Sonoma.

FOR SALE:— Desirable lots in Mouyer's Subdivision in El Verano. See T. H. BAINES, agent, El Verano, Calif.

STRAYED: Red cow, crooked horn, branded H. B. on right flank, left cut square with slit. Notify H. Sophey, El Verano.

FOR SALE.—Pigeons. Extra large Runts. Loft of 80 at a bargain if taken at once. MRS. BURK Haraszthy Tract. 4 4t

Money to loan on Real Estate, not over $1200.00. Address: Box 115, El Verano.

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WOOD FOR SALE—150 cords of wood. Inquire of G. Picetti, Vineburg.

For Sale—A good lot of cut and faced stone, ready for building; enough stone to build a one story building 30x50 feet. Price only $300. Apply to Charles J. Poppe, Glen Ellen, Cal.

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Wandered to my place near Boyes Hot Springs a yearling heifer. No brand or earmark, with a small white spot on the left side. Owner can have same by paying for this advertisement and damages.
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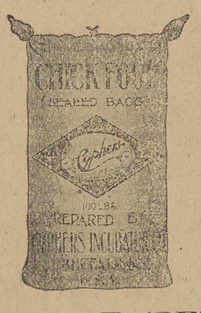

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THE FIRST LETTER that a sick woman should write or have some one write for her is to Dr. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., asking him if "FAVORITE PRESCRIPTION" is suitable for her case, and he will frankly tell her so if he thinks it is. He may have to ask some questions before he can be sure just what the trouble is.

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It Stands Alone as the one medicine for women, the makers of which take their patients fully into their confidence and tell them exactly what they are taking. This Dr. Pierce can afford to do, because his "FAVORITE PRESCRIPTION" is made of such ingredients and after a working formula that has thousands of cures to its credit, placing its merits above criticism.

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6:23 a m	San Francisco and San Rafael and	10:00 a m
3:36 p m	Intermediates	7:28 p m
10:00 a m	Glen Ellen and	6:23 a m
3:36 p m	intermediates	3:36 p m
6:23 a m	Novato, Petaluma, Santa Rosa	10:00 am
3:36 p m	& intermediates	7:28 p m
6:23 a m	Cloverdale Healdsburg, Lyton and	10:00 am
3:36 pm	intermediates	7;28 a m
6:23 a m	Ukiah and	10:00 a m
3:36 p m	intermediates	7:28 p m
6:23 a m	Willits, Sherwood	7:28 pm
6:23 a m	Sebastopol and	10:00 a m
3:36 p m	intermediates	7:28 p m
6:23 a m	Guerneville and	10:00 a m
3:36 p m	intermediates	7:28 pm

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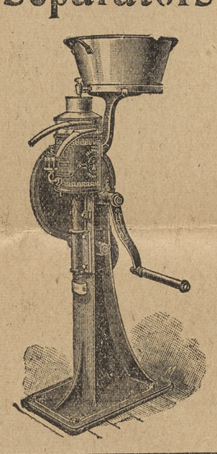

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DREVITIES

Secretary Filcher is urging the uniting of the various agricultural societies of this state under one head that is the State Horticultural Society, the State Agricultural Society, Veterinary, etc. should all be under the management of the State Agricultural Society.

Weather observers who have been connected with the measuring of the Sacramento and San Joaquin rivers are studying the water gauge system and the rainfall stations throughout Northern California and hope to improve the system of measurement of discharge of the river.

Tehama county sheep owners have driven their sheep long distances for summer pasture, some going into the mountains as far as 120 miles. They are now returning from the mountain ranges.

The poundmaster of Sacramento recently impounded 1200 sheep which were being driven through the city and endeavored to collect a fee of $2 each. An appeal to the courts, however, succeeded in releasing them on a $40 fine.

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"While in the army in 1863 I was taken with chronic diarrhoea," says George M. Felton of South Gibson, Pa. "I have since tried many remedies but without any permanent relief, until Mr. A. W. Miles, of this place, persuaded me to try Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, one bottle of which stopped it at once." For sale by L. S. SIMMONS.

Buck's Flat cattlemen, in Tehama county, are standing pat upon securing their prices and are refusing to sell to buyers at offers made up to this time.

A Turlock grape juice company has been incorporated and $75.000 of its capital has already been subscribed. Several lots have been purchased for constructing the buildings, work on which will be begun in a short time.

Lame Back.

This ailment is usually caused by rheumatism of the muscles of the small of the back, and is quickly cured by applying Chamberlain's Liniment two or three times a day and massaging the parts at each application. For sale by L. S. SIMMONS.

A farmer at Lodi is making a special study of the scientific side of fruit raising and maintains the added quality of the fruit is sufficient to justify most intelligent care of the fruit crop.

More Than Enough is Too Much.

To maintain health, a mature man or woman needs just enough food to repair the waste and supply energy and body heat. The habitual consumption of more food than is necessary for these purposes is the prime cause of stomach troubles, rheumatism and disorders of the kidneys. If troubled with indigestion, revise your diet, let reason and not appetite control and take a few doses of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and you will soon be all right again. For sale by L. S. SIMMONS.

The Armsby Company claim that the returns for California farm products which have been sent out of the state by that firm aggregate $41 000,000. These products include salmon, canned fruits, nuts, beans, dried fruit and raisins. It does not include any citrus fruits.

Work horses at Marysville have been troubled with the contagious disease, "pinkeye."

Why Colds are Dangerous.

Because you have contracted ordinary colds and recovered from them without treatment of any kind do not for a moment imagine that colds are not dangerous. Every one knows that pneumonia and chronic catarrh have their origin in a common cold. Consumption is not caused by a cold but the cold prepares the system for the reception and development of the germs that would not otherwise have found lodgment. It is the same with all infectious diseases. Diphtheria, scarlet fever, measles and whooping cough are much more likely to be contracted when the child has a cold. You will see from this that more real danger lurks in a cold than in any other of the common ailments. The easiest and quickest way to cure a cold than in any other of the common ailments. The easiest and quickest way to cure a cold is to take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. The many remarkable cures effected by this preparation have made it a staple article of trade over a large part of the world. For sale by L. S. Simmons.

The creamery at Livermore, Alameda county, has closed because of lack of milk snpplies.

Seventeen tons of almonds raised near Orland have been sold at about 10 cents per pound.

The Sonoma Winery was recently destroyed by fire, involving a loss in plant and hides of $50,000.

A good roads convention, held at Sacramento recently, was largely attended by delegates from Sacramento Valley.

Prices on Tokay grapes are ranging from $1.10 to $2 15 per crate.

Apple growers near Watsonville are pleased at the prospect of having the biggest apple crop ever shipped out of that valley.

The thunder shower which recently visited almost the entire San Joaquin valley did considerable damage to raisins on trays and to table grapes.

A barbecue was held at Jolon, Monterey county, recently' in celebration of the successful work done by forest rangers and their helpers in controlling a fire which was raging in the National forest.

A small tornado did several thousand dollars worth of damage at Indio last week.

It pays to advertise in the Expositor—it reaches the people whose trade you want,

According to a bulletin issued by the Department of Agriculture, Portland holds second place in the United States as a grain shipping point, New York only exceeding her, and that by a very small margin.

Easy to Mix This

What will appear very interesting to many people here is the article taken from a New York daily paper, giving a simple prescription, which is said to be a positive remedy for backache or kidney or bladder derangement, if taken before the stage of Blight's disease:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Shake well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and again at bedtime.

A well-known druggist here at home, when asked regarding this prescription, stated that the ingredients are all harmless, and can be obtained at a small cost from any good prescription pharmacy, or the mixture would be put up if asked to do so. He further stated that while this prescription is often prescribed in rheumatic afflictions with splendid results, he could see no reason why it would not be a splendid remedy for kidney and urinary troubles and backache, as it has a peculiar action upon the kidney structure, cleansing these most important organs and helping them to sift and filter from the blood the foul acids and waste matter which cause sickness and suffering. Those of our readers who suffer can make no mistake in giving it a trial.

Wise Talks by the Office Boy Repeated

Just as we were about to close Saturday night and the boss brought a couple of gunny sacks out of the office to carry the money home in, a man came in the store. He said he had been running a moving picture show and in one of the outside towns there was only one musician in the place, who was a freckle faced seedy-looking young man. The young man said he could play music suitable to each picture. When the first one appeared it was "Adam and Eve in the Garden of Eden." Like a flash the young

Padderewski commenced pounding out, "There's only one girl in the world for me."

There's only one best place to look for ladies' suits, coats, skirts and novelties in neckwear. It's Sonoma Racket Store. My own salary is not any too big, but I wouldn't think of going home Saturday night without one of those pretty collars for mother. Are you wise?

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A Bloodless Execution

[Original.]

Two friends were discussing the possibility of killing a perfectly well man without doing him the slightest bodily harm, without frightening him to death or by tempting him to dissipation. One claimed that death could not be brought about except by some overt act to produce bodily injury.

"A man can be killed," the other contended, "simply by going through the form of an execution."

"That would be by shock."

"Not at all. He shall know beforehand that he is not to suffer the slightest bodily harm."

To illustrate the last speaker told the following true story:

Lang Ting Fung of San Francisco, washee-washee man, called Charlie Fung by his "Melican" acquaintances, was accused of revealing the secrets of the Ti Whang society, of which he was a member. Summoned before the society to answer to the charge, he was assigned counsel and duly tried. Though ably defended, he was convicted of having revealed certain methods of the San Francisco Chinese underground railroad for smuggling Chinamen into the United States. The punishment was death, and the sentence was to be carried out immediately in the presence of the assembled members of the society.

"Call the executioner," said the presiding officer in solemn tones that reverberated through the silent hall as if some one had struck a gong.

A big Chinaman entered from another room, carrying one of those large sharp double edged swords with which culprits' heads are stricken off in China. Over his face he wore a wooden mask representing distorted features. The culprit was led into the middle of the room and forced on to his knees. Another Chinaman, also on his knees before him, caught him by his pigtail and drew his head down so that the neck was laid bare to the ax. Then the smock was pulled over his shoulders. The executioner, taking the handle of his sword in both hands, threw himself into position, raised the weapon, swung it high over his head and brought it down. When within more than a hair's breadth from the neck it suddenly stopped. From that point it was slowly and carefully lowered till the edge rested on the culprit's neck. Then he held it that it might not cut the skin.

Now, in China, whether from the great power of these societies, from ineffective law, or what not, the culprit's head would have been separated from the body. But in America different conditions exist. There are not only judges and juries who do not respect the decrees of Chinese secret societies, but John Chinaman has no pull with them. A headless murder would not only lead to the punishment of those instrumental in it, but would be prejudicial to the continued efforts of thousands of the copper colored brethren in America who are washing hard night and day for a living.

The executioner after holding the sword upon the culprit's neck for a few moments removed it and, resting its point on the floor beside him, turned to the judges and said:

"The traitor is dead."

The executed man arose to his feet and looked about him. No one interfered with him, for he was dead. No one saw him, for he was dead. He said something to a man near him. The man made no reply. Why should he reply to a dead man? The members of the society were arising from their seats and leaving the hall. The decapitated man called to one who had been his bosom friend, but without avail. Death separates the quick and the dead, be they friends or enemies.

Charlie Fung followed the others out into the street. There he saw a poster proclaiming to Chinatown that he had been executed that evening. A policeman, seeing the notice, to him unintelligible, with Chinamen standing about it, wondered what the yellow devils were up to now. Could he have read it he would doubtless have carried a dreadful story to police headquarters. The dead man wandered about like a ghost from the spirit world. No one saw him; no one spoke to him; no one gave him a smile or a frown.

If he had had money, he might have returned to China, but would he have fared any better there? Would not an agent of the society he had betrayed follow him and do really the work that had been done figuratively. No; Charlie was dead, and nothing could bring him to life.

If Charlie was not really dead, he was really dying—that is, he was getting into a condition where death would be preferable to life. The posters announcing his execution remained on the walls, and, go where he would in Chinatown, he saw them. They were the only mention of himself that he encountered. In all other respects he had passed into oblivion. He was thirsty, but no one would give him a drink. He was hungry, but no one would give him bread or meat.

At last Charlie could endure the strain no longer. He wandered off into the "Melican" district and procured a revolver. It was supposed he stole it. Going back among those who had been his fellow Chinamen, he sat down under one of the posters notifying them that he had been executed, put the revolver to his head and effected in reality the execution that they had effected in form.

Not only is it possible to kill a person without doing any bodily harm, but death so inflicted may be made more cruel than any physical torture that has ever been invented.

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